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OWING ARE THE DAILY ACTIVITY REPORTS FROM THE
BUREAUS. EUR, NEA, PM A;D EB DID NOT SUBMIT.

ARA - ROGERS

CHILE AND HUMAN RIGHTS -- I MET WITH FRASER, AT HIS
REQUEST. WE TALKED ABOUT A CONGRESSIONAL VISIT, AND THE
RELATIONSHIP OF ARMS AID AND HUMAN RIGHTS. HE STILL
PREFERS THE STICK BEFORE THE CARROT, BUT HE WAS NOT AS
HARD-HEADED ON THAT TACTICAL QUESTION AS I HAD SUSPECTED
HE WOULD BE. I LEFT THE QUESTION FUZZY, BUT WE WILL
HEAR FROM HIM AGAIN ON IT.

PANAMA -- THE PANAMANIAN AMBASSADOR CALLED. HE
STRESSED THE GOP'S FRUSTRATION AT THE LANGUID PACE OF THE
NEGOTIATIONS.

BRAZIL -- WE HAD TWO LONG MEETINGS WITH AMBASSADOR
CRIMMINS. IN THE FIRST, WE TALKED ABOUT US INQUIRIES ON
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BEHALF OF BRAZILIAN PRISONERS. IN THE SECOND, WE

SURVEYED US-BRAZIL RELATIONS: -- THE PROBABILITY OF MORE IRRITANTS IN THE NEXT SEVERAL MONTHS IN THE TRADE FIELD, THE IMPORTANCE OF DAMAGE LIMITING EFFORTS NOW, YOUR SPECIAL RELATIONSHIP WITH SILVEIRA AND THE ROLE AND FUNCTION OF A VISIT BY YOU. CRIMMINS READS MUCH INTO THE COLD TURNDOWN BY GEISEL OF A TRIP THIS YEAR.

EA - MR. HABIB

MIKI VISIT. PLANNING AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR PRIME MINISTER MIKI'S VISIT NEXT WEEK HAVE BEEN COMPLETED.

EXCHANGE WITH FRENCH MINISTER. I HAD LUNCH WITH FRENCH EMBASSY MINISTER DE LA GORCE, EXCHANGING WITH HIM GENERAL VIEWS ON ASIA. THE FRENCH ARE ANXIOUS FOR ME TO VISIT PARIS, PROBABLY IN SEPTEMBER, TO CONDUCT THE LONG POST-PONED SEMI-ANNUAL REVIEW THAT EA ENGAGES IN WITH THE GOF.

SEATO AND AUSTRALIA. I CONVEYED OUR DECISION ON THE FUTURE OF SEATO, IN RESPONSE TO THE AUSTRALIAN REQUEST FOR VIEWS, TO SIR PATRICK SHAW. HE EXPRESSED THE OPINION THAT CANBERRA WOULD REACT WELL TO OUR POSITION, BUT THAT HE WOULD IN ANY EVENT BE IN TOUCH.

CONSULTATIONS. DICK SNEIDER ARRIVED FROM SEOUL FOR CONSULTATIONS. OUR CONSUL GENERAL IN PAPUA-NEW GUINEA, MARY OLMSTED, IS IN TOWN WORKING ON ARRANGEMENTS FOR OUR PARTICIPATION IN THE SEPTEMBER INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATIONS SCHEDULED IN PORT MORESBY.

KOREAN INFLUENCE IN WASHINGTON. A TWO-PART ARTICLE APPEARED IN YESTERDAY'S AND TODAY'S WASHINGTON POST ON TONGSUN PARK, WEALTHY INFLUENTIAL KOREAN BUSINESSMAN WITH EXTENSIVE CONTACTS IN WASHINGTON. THE STORIES FOCUS ON THE INFLUENCE PARK EXERTS, BOTH HERE AND IN SEOUL, DEPICTING HIM AS A SHADOWY FIGURE WITH IMPLIED SHADY METHODS OF OPERATION. WE HAVE REFUSED OFFICIAL COMMENT ON THE POST STORY.

L - MONROE LEIGH
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-- LEIGH MET WITH DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE OFFICIAL TO DISCUSS PARTICIPATION BY USG IN REARGUMENT IN SUPREME COURT IN DUNHILL CASE WHICH WOULD TEST FURTHER APPLICATION OF ACT OF STATE DOCTRINE.

-- LEIGH AND SCHWEBEL CONSIDERED LEGAL IMPLICATIONS OF MARCONA EXPROPRIATION IN PERU.

-- FELDMAN, OVER THE WEEKEND, PREPARED NOTE FOR GOVERNMENT OF TURKEY DEFENDING CONTINUED VALIDITY OF U.S. BASE RIGHTS UNDER DEFENSE COOPERATION AGREEMENT. PURPOSE OF THE NOTE WAS TO PRESERVE U.S. LEGAL RIGHTS AND LONG-TERM NEGOTIATING POSITION AS THE U.S. MOVED TO COMPLY WITH UNILATERAL TURKISH DECISIONS.

-- FELDMAN ATTENDED DEPOSITIONS OF GEORGE VEST AND SANDRA MCCARTY IN LITIGATION FOR RELEASE OF TRANSCRIPT OF SALT BACKGROUNDER.

-- SCHWEBEL CONSIDERED AN OPTIONS PAPER ON U.S. REACTIONS TO ISRAELI SUSPENSION FROM THE UN PREPARED BY IO AND DRAFTED AT LEIGH'S REQUEST L'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

-- SCHWEBEL CONFERRED WITH ARA, NEA AND EB ON FINAL REFINEMENTS IN A MEMORANDUM TO PRINCIPALS ON U.S. POLICY ON EXPROPRIATION OF U.S. INTERESTS IN MAJOR OIL CONCESSIONS.

AF - NATHANIEL DAVIS

ARTS FESTIVAL - I MET AGAIN WITH WILLIAM CASTLEBERRY OF ZEBRA ASSOCIATES, THE FIRM HANDLING THE PROMOTIONS AND FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES FOR THE SECOND WORLD FESTIVAL OF BLACK AND AFRICAN ARTS AND CULTURE TO BE HELD IN LAGOS IN NOVEMBER. HE EXPRESSED HIS CONCERN AT THE POTENTIAL EMBARRASSMENT THE USG MIGHT SUFFER SHOULD INSUFFICIENT FUNDS BE RAISED TO SUPPORT THE AMERICAN CONTINGENT TO THE FESTIVAL. HE ESTIMATED THE SHORTFALL AT ABOUT \$500,000, BUT MADE NO SPECIFIC REQUEST FOR USG FUNDING.
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TOMORROW - I SHALL START ANNUAL LEAVE.

IO - BUFFUM

1. APPEARED BEFORE HOUSE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE TO OPPOSE CUTS IN UNDP APPROPRIATION AS URGED BY GEORGE MEANY AND CONGRESSMAN WOLFF. COMMITTEE APPROVED OUR ENTIRE REQUEST.

2. RECEIVED KOREAN AMBASSADOR TO CONVEY DECISION WE WOULD VETO NORTH AND SOUTH VIETNAM ADMISSION TO THE UN UNLESS SOUTH KOREA'S ADMISSION ALSO PROVIDED FOR. HE WAS MOST PLEASED AND WE ARE WORKING OUT IMPLEMENTING TACTICS TOGETHER.

H - ROBERT J. MCCLOSKEY

, TURKEY. AT THE REQUEST OF THE WHITE HOUSE WE CONTACTED 12 REPUBLICANS WHO LAST THURSDAY VOTED AGAINST THE BILL AND GOT VERY LITTLE ENCOURAGEMENT. WITH THE POSSIBLE EXCEPTION OF PEGGY HECHLER, NONE WAS WILLING TO CHANGE HIS VOTE IN THE ABSENCE OF SOME NEW DEVELOPMENT.

IT IS NOT CLEAR HOW THE PARLIAMENTARY SITUATION WILL BE TACKLED. CONSIDERATION IS BEING GIVEN TO AMENDING A PENDING PIECE OF SENATE LEGISLATION DUE FOR CONSIDERATION IN THE HOUSE LATER THIS WEEK. THE WHITE HOUSE IS EXAMINING SEVERAL OPTIONS ALONG THESE LINES WITH THE LEADERSHIP IN BOTH HOUSES.

2. MISSILES FOR JORDAN. CONGRESSIONAL ACTION ON THE PROPOSED SALE OF THE AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM TO JORDAN HAS BEEN POSTPONED FOR UP TO 60 DAYS. THE SFRC AGREED TO THE ADMINISTRATION PROPOSAL TO KEEP THE ISSUE BEFORE THE CONGRESS BY FILING SUCCESSIVE LETTERS OF OFFER CONCERNING THE PROPOSED SALE OF 14 HAWKS TO JORDAN. UNLESS MATTERS CAN BE WORKED OUT SOONER, THE ADMINISTRATION HAS AGREED NOT TO TAKE FURTHER ACTION ON THE HAWK SALE PENDING THE EXPIRATION OF THE 60-DAY PERIOD WHICH WILL BE ABOUT SEPTEMBER 26. THE SFRC AND THE HIRC FOR THEIR PART
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HAVE DEFERRED ACTION ON THE PENDING RESOLUTIONS OPPOSING THIS SALE UNTIL SEPTEMBER. CASE'S PRESS BRIEFING LEFT REPORTERS WITH THE IMPRESSION THAT THE LETTER OF OFFER IS BEING WITHDRAWN AND NEW PROPOSAL IS TO BE SUBMITTED. NEVERTHELESS THE COMMITTEES CORRECTLY UNDERSTAND THE PROPOSAL AS DESCRIBED ABOVE.

3. DIEGO GARCIA. BY A VOTE OF 43 TO 53, THE SENATE TODAY REJECTED THE MANSFIELD AMENDMENT OPPOSING EXTENSION OF DIEGO GARCIA. IN EFFECT THIS MAKES AVAILABLE THE \$18.1 MILLION REQUESTED LAST YEAR AND AUTHORIZES THE \$13.8 MILLION REQUESTED THIS YEAR. BEFORE THE VOTE JACKSON SAID HE WOULD INTRODUCE LEGISLATION "DIRECTING" THE ADMINISTRATION TO INITIATE DISCUSSIONS WITH SOVIETS LIMITING MILITARY DEPLOYMENT IN INDIAN OCEAN.

4. TURKISH OPIUM. SHELDON VANCE TESTIFIED BEFORE LESTER WOLFF'S FUTURE FOREIGN POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE HIRC ON THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE NEW TURKISH OPIUM PROCESSING.

H - MCCLOSKEY (CONTINUED)

BOTH WOLFF AND RANGEL WERE CRITICAL THAT THE ADMINISTRATION DID NOT ACCORD SUFFICIENT PRIORITY TO THE CONTROL OF DRUG TRAFFIC IN THE UNITED STATES. THEY WERE CRITICAL OF TURKEY'S ABROGATION OF THE 1972 AGREEMENT AND WERE DUBIOUS OF THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE "STRAW PROCESSING." WOLFF, RANGEL AND GILMAN ALL LINKED THE CUT-OFF OF AID TO TURKEY TO THE DRUG QUESTION.

5. ROMANIAN TRADE AGREEMENT. FOLLOWING THE FAVORABLE SENATE VOTE LAST FRIDAY, THE HOUSE COMPLETED CONGRESSIONAL ACTION TODAY WITH A 355-41 APPROVAL OF THE RESOLUTION ON THE AGREEMENT. INGERSOLL

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